



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Wang et al.)
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Filed: November 21, 2003)
) Group Art Unit: 1641
Serial No.: 10/719,868)
) Examiner: Ceperley, Mary
Title: Method and Composition for Determining)
FK506)
)
Atty Docket No.: DCS-9082)

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT
AMENDMENT (37 CFR 1.121)**

Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

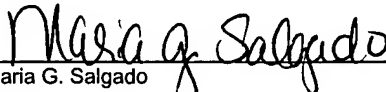
Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121) dated March 1, 2006, applicant hereby submits a Response to Office Action with a complete listing, in ascending numerical order, of all of the claims.

Applicants believe no fee is due at this time. However, in the event that it is determined that a fee is due, please charge Deposit Account No. 04-0010. An original plus two copies of this letter are enclosed for accounting purposes.

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Applicant also files herewith a copy of the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121) dated March 1, 2006.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert N. Carpenter", written over a horizontal line.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on September 15, 2005, please consider the following amendments and remarks.

AMENDMENT

In the Claims:

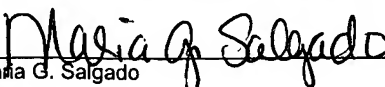
Please cancel claims 1-5 without prejudice.

Please amend claims 6, 7, 9, 12 as shown below.

Please add claim 14. Applicants submit that claim 14 adds no new matter.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

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